



Docket No.: 1081.1198

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

**Naofumi TAMAI**

**Serial No. 10/821,922**

**Group Art Unit: 2633**

**Confirmation No. 2421**

**Filed: April 12, 2004**

**Examiner: BELLO, AGUSTIN**

**For: WDM NETWORK SYSTEM AND WDM FOR USE THEREIN**

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed September 22, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on December 22, 2004. A Petition for a two-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to February 22, 2005.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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